Will provide information about new health reform law

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Congressman Charlie Wilson (OH-6) will be visiting several senior centers and retirement communities on Tuesday, June 1, 2006.

Wilson would like to share details about what the new health reform law, the Affordable Care Act, means for seniors. First and foremost, because of health reform, Medicare will now be solvent for more than a decade. In addition, seniors who fall into the so called 'donut hole' will start to get \$250 checks in June from Medicare to help close that gap.

Wilson will distribute informational material from both AARP and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Wilson's schedule is as follows:

8:30 a.m. – Glenwood Retirement Community 200 Timberline Drive Marietta

10 a.m. – Summit Acres 44656 Sunset Road Caldwell

Noon – Westwood Landing 37950 Airport Road Woodsfield

2 p.m. – Emerald Point 100 Michili Street Barnesville

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